

**Table 12.45-- UNION AFFILITATION OF EMPLOYED WAGE AND SALARY  
WORKERS: 1999 AND 2000**

Year	Total employed (1,000)	Members of unions 1/		Represented by unions 2/	
		Total (1,000)	Percent of employed	Total (1,000)	Percent of employed
1999	494	114	23.2	124	25.0
2000	497	124	24.8	129	26.0

1/ Data refer to members of a labor union or an employee association similar to a union.

2/ Data refer to members of a labor union or an employee association similar to a union as well as workers who report no union affiliation but whose jobs are covered by a union or an employee association contract.

Source: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, Current Population Survey,  
<http://stats.bls.gov/news.release/union2.t05.htm>, accessed March 6, 2001.